



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Gregory A Demopulos et al. Attorney Docket No.: CH.1.0018.US2  
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Title: SOLUTIONS AND METHODS FOR INHIBITION OF PAIN,  
INFLAMMATION AND CARTILAGE DEGRADATION

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

The following remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action mailed May 4, 2006, and are accompanied by a supplemental information disclosure statement and citation of information including references referred to in this response. Applicants also have submitted a request for an extension of time, from August 4, 2006, until November 6, 2006 (due to the six month date falling on a Saturday), concurrently herewith along with the requisite fee.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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